(a) what is the number of personnel of para-military forces killed by terrorists during the last one year in the country ; and

(b) what steps are being taken to provide latest weapon to the para-military forces?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MUFTI MOHAMMAD SAYEED): (a) 38 personnel belonging to BSF, CRPF, Assam Rifles and ITBP were killed in operations during the period between January, 1989 and February, 1990.

(b) Weapons are provided to the para-military forces keeping in view the availability and operational need of the forces concerned.

Construction of new projects at Paradeep Port

1008. SHRI BASUDEB MOHAPATRA: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have cleared two projects namely, construction of a Multi-purpose Cargo Berth and extension of Southern Cargo Berth of Paradeep Port;

(b) if so, the details of said Projects; and

(c) by when the Projects are likely to be taken up?

THE MINISTER OF SURFACE TRANSPORT WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI K. P. UNNIKRISHNAN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) In view of the above, question does not arise.

Recommendations of the National Police Commission

1009. SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether any of the recommendations made by the National Police Commission have been implemented so far; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MUFTI MOHAMMAD SAYEED): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) National Police Commission submitted 8 reports. The first report was considered at a Conference of Chief Ministers held at New Delhi in June, 1979 and a general consensus was reached on the implementation of the recommendations, Reports received from the State Governments/ U.T. Administrations indicate that appropriate follow-up action has been taken on the first report. The principal recommendations which have generally been implemented by most of the States relate to the following subjects:—

(i) Working conditions of policemen.

(ii) Police Housing programmes.

(iii) Status of the Constabulary, including Allowances.

(iv) Inquiries into complaints against policemen.

(v) Abolition of Orderly System.

(vi) Machinery for redressal of grievances of policemen.

With regard to the remaining 7 reports of the Com mission, the replies so far received from the State Governments/UT Administrations indicate that the Governments of

Andhra Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Goa, Gujarat, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Manipur, Mizoram, Nagaland, Orissa, Punjab, Rajasthan, Sikkim, Tamil Nadu, Tripura, Uttar Pradesh Andaman & Nicobar Administration, Chandigarh Administration, Delhi, Administration, Daman & Diu, Lakshadweep and Pondicherry have taken appropriate action on most of the recommendations. Police' being a State subject, the majority of the recommendations of the Commission pertain to the areas with which State Governments are concerned. As regards the action required to be taken by the Central Government, decisions on most of such recommendations have already been taken.

Human Rights Education to Police Authorities, etc.

1010. SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have any scheme of imparting human rights education to the police authorities security forces and other law enforcing agencies for the protection and promotion of human rights; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MUFTI MOHAMMAD SAYEED): (a) and (b) According to the Seventh Schedule to the Constitution of India, Police is a State subject. Accoordingly it is upto the State Governments/ Union Territories Administrations to arrange Police Training. However, from time to time, Government of India issues broad guidelines to the State Governments/Union Territoies for their consideration. The subjects that are included in the curriculum tend to emphasise human rights and the exercise of this right in the Society. It is not only necessary that the police should have the requisite professional knowledge and skills but also essential that the police officials should have the proper attitudinal and ethical approach in the performance of their duties. Therefore, adherence to moral values, the rule of law, justice and fair play etc. has been stressed at all levels of the police, including during training & refresher courses. Adequate grounding in the law of the Constitution of India apart from other relevant legislations, including social laws, is an integral part of the training syllabi and curriculum during training of all ranks of police officers. Training is imparted in subjects like, among-others, personality development and ethical behaviour, understanding of police environment, management concepts and techniques and the Human Rights behaviour and Police Organisations etc.

Division of DTC into Zonal Corporations

1011. SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE:
DR. RATNAKAR PANDEY:

Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a proposal to divide the DTC into a number of zonal corporations to ensure efficiency and smooth running of State buses in Delhi; and

(b) if so, what are the details of the proposal and the steps taken in this regard so far?

THE MINISTER OF SURFACE TRANSPORT WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI K. P. UNNIKRI-